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	METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)	
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THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

Applicants certify under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1) that each item of information contained in the subject information disclosure statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Specifically, these documents were first cited in a Japanese Official Letter dated February 27, 2007, in a corresponding Japanese patent application. A copy

of the Official Letter (together with a partial English translation) that issued on that related

application is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that

such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C.

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